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Banks.

NOTICE.

TO ULES OF THE BONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

L.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6 - Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hangkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONO & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hougkong, September 1, 188 L HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING GORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND......\$3,900,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$ \$7,500,000 PRIETORS.....

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Thairman-C. D. Bottomley, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Hon. J. BELL IRVING. W. H. F. DARBY, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. H. L. DALRYMPLE, S. C. MICHAELSEN,

W. H. Forbes, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. Hon. F. D. Sassoon. GHIEF MAXIMER.

Hongkong, Taowis Jackson, Esq. Shanghai, Ewen Camenon, Ecc. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

INTEREST ALLOWED. Y Current Deposit Account at the rat of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

HONGKONG. --

On Fixed Deposits :---For 3 quaths, 3 per cent, for amount. n 4 per cont. in и 12 . и 5 per cent. " LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Gradits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Ohief Manager. Hongkong, September 20, 1887.

Intimations.

J. D. KILEY, SAIL-MAKER.

FILENTS, AWNINGS AND FLAGS.

No. 23, Praya Central, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, November 1, 1887. CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers

Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NTAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOUULARS and TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, MAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE Uhristofie & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY.

in great variety. DIAMONDS to AND .wo DIAMOND JEWELLERY. A Splandid Collection of the Latest London | Supreme Court House, PARKERIES, at very moderate prices. 748

號六十月一十年七十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1887.

Intimations.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. No. 211.

CHINA SEA.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

Temporary Withdrawal of the Tungsha

TOTICE is hereby given that on or about the 5th December next, the Tungsha Light-vessel Tungsha will be REMOVED from her Station for REPAIRS, and that she will be Replaced by the Light-vessel

light, which should be visible in clear weather at a distance of 11 nautical miles, and a small white light will be exhibited from the fore stay at a height of 6 feet above the rail, to show the direction in which the vessel is heading. Her hull is painted red, with the word Newchwang in white on each side, and she has three masts, the main carrying a black ball.

During thick or foggy weather a steam fog-horn will be sounded at intervals of 10 seconds.

The Tungsha will return to her station as soon as her repairs have been completed. By Order of the Inspector-General of Customs,

A. M. BISBEE, Coast Inspector.

Imperial Maritime Customs. Coast Inspector's Office. Shanghai, 21st November, 1887, 2296

WHARF AND GODOWN COM-PANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that all VESSELS DISCHARGING BOME Y COT-TON and COTTON YARN at the Kow-LOON WHARVES WITH MAVE FREE STORAGE for 14 days from arrival, after which a Rent of 3 CENTS per bale per month will be ISAAC HUGHES.

Secretary. Hongkong, November 7, 1887.

WANTED. COMPETENT SUGAR-BOILER.

Address with Reference. SUGAR REFINERY, Foothab. 24th November, 1887.

FRENCH DRESS MAKER.

35. Wellington Street. HONGKONG.

THE ONLY FRENCH DRESS-MAKER

IN HONGKONG. DIFLOMA IN PARIS IN 1884.

Hougkong, October 1, 1887. PAKHOI DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,

PARROI HARBOUR-FAIRWAY BUOYS, MARKING CHANNEL" BETWEEN FISHING STAKES.

MOTICE is hereby given that Two 41. VEET NEW BUOYS have been moored, one on either side, to define the fairway between the Fish Stakes at the entrance to the anchorage Pakhoi Harbour.

The STARBOARD BUOY, entering from sea, Red, surmounted by a GLOBE CAGE painted Black, is moored in 18 feet low water springs. The Port Buoy, entering from sea, Black, surmounted by DIAMOND CAGE painted Black, is moored in 21 feet low water springs. There is a clear Channel 270 FEET wide between these Buoys.

W. BRENNAN, Acting Harbour Master. Approved:

HENRY Æ SIDFORD. Commissioner of Customs, Custom House. Pakhoi, 16th November, 1887. LETTERS PATENT.

In the Matter of the Petition of FRANK County of Douphin and State of Peun-Manufacture of Ice' for which Her by the Company, and no subsequent Claims Majesty's Royal Letters Patent were or Alterations will be allowed. granted on the 14th day of Beptember,

1886, to the said FRANK ALBERT SMITH.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Peti-N tion, Specification, and Declaration required herein by Ordinance No. 14 of 1862, have been duly filed in the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong, and that it is the intention of the said FRANK ALBERT SMITH by ALFRED BULMER JOHNSON, his duly authorized Agent and Attorney, to apply at the sitting of the Executive Council hereinafter mentioned for Letters Patent for the exclusive use within the said Colony of Hongkong of the above named invention. And Notice is HEREBY Also given that i sitting of the Executive Council, before whom the matter of said Petition will come for decision, will be held in the Council Chamber, at the Government Offices, Victoris, Hongkong, on the 30rd DAY or NOVEMBER, 1887, at Noon.

FRANK ALBERT SMITH, A. B. JOHNSON. His Agent and Attorney,

Hongkong, November 10, 1887.

Business' Notices.

HAVE JUST UNPACKED THE FOLLOWING

TYOUBLE-BARRELLED SAFETY HAMMERLESS SPORT-ING GUNS, with all latest improvements.

HANGING, WALL and TABLE LAMPS. BILLIARD BALLS, RESTS and CUES. NEWEST NOVELS.

The Newchirang will show a fixed white TEA-TASTERS' TIME GLASSES single and double. POCKET KNIVES and FANCY CUTLERY.

HORSE CLIPPERS.

DOG COLLARS and RUG STRAPS. WALKING STICKS and UMBRELLAS.

NEW ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, November 16, 1887.

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

MHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within tive minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post "Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much en-

larged and improved and is now one of the principal Horses in the place. The ROOMS is apacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and reacher TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and Smoking Rooms. The HOLL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

FURTHER DELIVERIES OF NEW GOODS: MASHMERES in all the New Shades. FANCY VELVETS to Match. 8, 15, 20 Button Length SUEDE GLOVES.

(T E L E P H O N E 21).

New FLOWERS, FEATHERS and WINGS. DRESS FLOWER SETS for Evening Wear, RIBBONS and LACES in great variety. Beaded DRESS SETS and ORNAMENTS. Made-up COSTUMES.

All Colours in BRUSSEES and Victoria NETS. TOYS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, November 17, 1887.

ROBERT LANG & Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

DLACK, DRAB, AND BROWN, HARD AND in a variety of New Shapes.

> DRAB and GREY SINGLE and DOUBLE TERAI HATS.

STRAW HATS

MILITARY and FELT HELMETS, and

TWEED HATS and CAPS in Stock and made to order. Hongkong, Optober 8, 1887.

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

J. COOK, Proprietor. THE HOTEL IS CENTRALLY SITUATED AND WITHIN A REW MINUTES! WALK, PROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS. CHARGES MODERATE. TIFFIN at 1 o'Clock. DINNER at 7,30.

VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM TIFFIN 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS. WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY. Hongkong, April 1, 1887.

Intimations.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Yr R 1886.

ALBERT SMITH, of Steelton, in the CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their sylvania, United States of America, Contributions of Premia for the year end-Gentleman, FOR LETTERS PATERT, for ing 31st December last, in Order that the the exclusive use within the Colony of PROPORTION of PROFIT for that year Hongkong, of an Invention, for Im- to be Paid as BONUS to CONTERPUTORS provements in Domestic and other may be arranged. Returns not sent in Refrigerators and Apparatus for the before the 30th Instant, will be made up

> By Order of the Directors, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, November 1, 1887.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1886.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Com. fying to the quality of the FIRE BRICKS as Undersigned with a Lier of their Contratlast, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the Thirtiers day of November MEXT, will be adjusted by the Company

quently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, October 15, 1887. 2010 | Houghong, May 23, 1887.

and no Claims or Alterations will be subse

Intimations.

NOTICE. EO. SMITH UNINE MERCHANT. SHANGHAI.

Agents: NORTON & Co., MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, October 1, 1887.

HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED. OFFICE, No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD,

THE BRICKS OF SUPERIOR QUALITY FOR SALE. PRICE, 830 PEB 1,000.

The following Testimonial has been reopived from F. W. CROSS, Esq., Manager, HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, 'I have herewith much pleasure in testi-

made by you at your new works. In appearance the Brick is light and sof as compared with the ordinary Fire Brick used in the Colony, but this I may sav is characteristic of the best English Fire After a very sovere test I have no hear-

tation in saying that this Brick is admirably suited to resist any degree of hest that if may be likely to undergo and for all purposes that Fire Bricks are used for. I am now about to build them into one of my Furnaces and have no doubt of their being able to stand as well as the English Fire Bricks I have been using

HE Undersigned begs to inform her numerous Customers and the General Public of Hongkong and Our Pour Re-SIDENTS, that she is prepared to SUPPLY FRESH MEAT. VEGETABLES, GAME, BRAWNS, GAME PIES, PORK SAU-SAGES, &c., &c., &c.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

-LAVINIA HOPKINS, Corner of Ningpg & Szechuen Roads, SHANGHAL Shanghai, 1st November, 1887.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

Notices to Consignees. STEAMSHIP AVA.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London o and Havre, or Steamship Manche, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 10 a.m. To-MORROW (Saturday), the 26th Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned

Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR. DAY, the 3rd December, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Monday, the 5th December, or they will not be recognised.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, November 25, 1887.

GELLATLY'S LINE OF STEAMERS

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. TARTAR, FROM MIDDLESBRO. AMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowroon WHARF & GODOWN Cq. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-day. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 29th Instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent, per

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 29th Instant, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

package per day,

ADAMSON, RELL & Co., Hongkong, November 23, 1887. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Oopack, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honokong AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 29th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 29th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unles

notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. To-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBING & Co.,

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

Hongkong, November 23, 1887.

THE Company's S.S. Taisang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by har are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honorong and KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whence delivery may be

Cargo remaining undelivered after the lat December will be subject to rent All Claims must be sent in on or before the 28th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Auctions.

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-PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY. the 28th November, 1887, at Noon, the Godowns of Messrs. Turner

-& Co., Praya,— All Orders will have prompt and careful 200 SHIELDS WITH GROUTS OF FLAGS, About 3,000 FLAGS AND BANNERS

lately used in the Jubilee Celebration.

TREMS OF SALE. - As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, *Auctioneer*. Hongkong, November 23, 1887.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s OHAMPAGNE,

Pints.....\$21 11 BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY,-\$77 per Case of 1 doz GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

FOR SALE.

MHE BRITISH STEAME ATHULL, of 1,436 Tons Gross, 922 Tons Net Re- in PRINCE's DOCKS. gister and 170 H.P., with all Her TACKLE, APPAREL and APPUR TENANCES, as she now lies in this Harbour.

For further Particulars, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, October 31, 1887.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMBUI The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th Instant, at

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 24, 1887.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI, (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Nish, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 27th Iustant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, November 18, 1887. 2250 EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS.

LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &o.) The Steamship Captain Erris, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, November 25, 1887. 2294 FOR SINGAPORE.

Deuteros,
Captain Iversen, will be
despatched as above or MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON & Co.

Hongkong, November 24, 1887. 2287 THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Taking through Cargo for QUEENSLAND PORTS, TASMANIA, NEW

ZEALAND, &c.)

The British Steamer Cloncurry, Capt. Deason, due about 24th Instant, with part Cargo from Japan and FOOCHOW, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at 4 p.m. To be followed by the S.S. Gulf of Aden

about 15th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managera. Hongkong. November 21, 1887. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM.

The Company's Steamer Kong Beng, be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th Inst.,

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED,

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Davies, will be despatched as above on

TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at 3 p.m. This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, November 21, 1887. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN) and GENOA; also to MARSEILLES, all Mediterranean, Adriatic, Levan-TINE and South AMERICAN POETS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF and

BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. D. MARCHI, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 1st December, at Noon. At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging For further Particulars regarding Freight

and Passage, apply to · CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, November 19, 1887.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The Steambhip Pembrokeshire. D. WILLIAMS, Com'der, will be despatched for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

above Ports about the 6th Proximo.

Hongkong, Nevember 25, 1887. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Telieran will leave for the above places on THURSDAY, 8th December, at

E. L. WOODIN.

Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, November 25, 1887. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Mirzapore

will leave for the above

place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail. E. L. WOODIN. Acting Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, November 25, 1887.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship W. S. Thomson, Com-mander, will be despatched as above on or about the 10th

For Freight, &c., apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, November 25, 1887.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

Proximo.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Captain Donaldson, will be despatched as above on or about the 12th December.

- This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, November 25, 1887. 2292

Sailing Vessels.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. The As 1, British Barque Blackadder, C. E. Hore, Master, will load bere for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, November 22, 1887. FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship South American. Tucker, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1887. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A 1 British Barque. Bandaneira.

ARBENS Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despotch. For Freight, apply to RUBSELL & Co.

General Managers. Hongkong, November 24, 1887. Hongkong, November 25, 1887.

Hongkong, October 21, 1887.



To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Deucation. Captain Asquist, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 27th Instant, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, November 26, 1887 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Hannis, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 26, 1887.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship General Werder. Capt. W. von Schuck-Capt. W. von Schuck-MANN, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 1st December.

Hongkong, November 26, 1887.

MELCHERS & Co.,

For further Particulars, apply to

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The Co.'s Steamship Captain R. SANDER, will leave for the above place

about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, November 26, 1887. 2308 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Dardamis, Capt. Pundy, will be Tarter, for Sh nghai. despatched as above on Ospack, for Shanghai. FRIDAY, the 2nd Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, November 26, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rate for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. Thompson, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 4th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, November 26, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Achilles 🤛 MONDAY, the 5th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, November 26, 1887

Stocks.

INSURANCES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60, 000 8

North-China Insurance Co., Ld.,... 5,000 £ -

Yangtaze Insurance Company, Ld.... 8,000

Union Insurance Society Co., Ld. ... 10,000

China Tradets' Insurance Co., Ld. ... 24, 000 5

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld..... 10,000 \$

Chinesa Insurance Co., Limited...... 1,500 3

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld... 8,000 \$

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld...... 20,000 \$

Singaporo Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000\$

The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 8

The Straits Insurance Co., Ld...... 30,000\$

HK. O. and M. Steamboat Oc., L.1. 40,000 \$

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000\$

Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 18,387 £

60,000 shares issued 31,212 £

Chins and Manils S. S. Co., Ld..... 3,500

H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 12,500 s.

HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. 1 5,100 £

Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt 3.000

China Sugar Company, Limited..... 15,000

Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... | 5,000 }

Luzon Sagar Company, Limited 7,000 }

Punjom & Sunghie Dun Samstan } 40,000 \$

HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 8

H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3,000 \$

A. S. Watson & Co., Lamited 3.800 \$

HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,250 \$

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NTEAMBOAT COMPANIES.

MISCELLANEOUS.

3,000 shs. issued

Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ...

Perak Sugar Cultivation Co.....

Perale Tin Mining & Sting Co.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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Captain Burler, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, November 26, 1887. - 2305

PUBLIC AUCTION:

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon, at Mesers. A. EBRAHIM & Co.'s Godown,-20 BALES BOMBAY COTTON.

Ex Steamship Khiva. (More or less damaged by sea water), For account of the concerned.

TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, | time (29m.), 2 days, 5 hours, and 29 minutes. with all faults and errors of description, to Distance 815 sm., average rate 15.215 sm. be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the per hour. We experienced fine weather H. N. MODY,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 26, 1887. 2311

SHIPPING

November 25, 1887 :--Norden, Norwegian steamer, 1 367. C.

Nielsen, Kutchinotzu November 20, Coal. -Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. November 26 :--

Loong Wha. British schooner, 374, Lord, Newchwang November 11, Beans - ED. SCHEMMASS & Co. Haiphong, British steamer, 1,122, Harris,

Foochow November 23, Amoy 24, and Swatow 25, General. - Douglas Steamship Co. Descalion, British steamer, 1,374, Wm. Asquith, Shanghai and Swatow November 25. General Burrengield & Swire.

Preussen, German steamer, 2,879, C. Pohn, Shanghai November 24, Mails and General. - MELCHERS & Co. Fooksang, British steamer, from Wham-

Benlawers, British steamer, 1,530, Webster, Amoy November 25, General.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

DEPARTURES. November 26:-Mendous, for Amoy and Shanghai. Alwine, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Dubury, for Swatow. Borneo, for Saigon. Fooksang, for Shanghai. Ava, for Shanghai and Yokohama.

South America's, for New York. Formosa, for Coast Ports. Anton, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Activ, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Marie, for Haiphong. Isaac Reed, for New York. Descation, for Singapore and London.

Priam, for Shanghai.

Per Hainhoug, from Coast Ports, Mr and Mrs Nicholls, and 126 Chineso. Per Deucalion, from Shanghai, &c., Mr Houston, Mr Backaway, and 600 Chinese. Per Preussen, from Stranghai, Mr Seymour (U.S. Consul at Canton), and family, Mr Talbot, Mr von Pustau, Mr Ad. Reis, and 20 Chinese.

Per Benlaucers, from Amoy, 4 Chinese. Per Duburg, for Swatow, 400 Chinese. Per Menelaus, for Amoy, 8 Europeans, Per shoine, for Hollow, 120 Chinese. Per Bornes, for Singapore, Mr J. E.

Hawes, and 460 Chinese. Per Fooksany, for Swatow, Mr J. Hazeland : for Shanghai, The Honourable H. C. Thomsett, R. N., and Miss Thomsett. Per Ara, for Shanghai : from Hongkong, Mrs Botelho and 5 children, Mr Chiu Tay Yen and servant, and Rev. C. M. Seguin; from Marseilles, Mr and Mrs Leferie, and Mr Gladki. For Yokohama: from Hongkong, Dr. Petit; from Marseilles, Mr C.

SHARE LIST.-QUOTATIONS.

Reserve.

200 P 50 Tls. 100,000 Tls. 406,132.00

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Value. | Paid- Position PER LAST REPORT. | Last Dividence

Balancec.f'ward

8,228.50 at 30/ for ½ year 155 % prem. sales working a/c to June 30/87

3.059.767 % for 1886 Tin. 108

245,240.04 20 % t annum 65, sellers.

328,567.46 \$27.50 for 'Sin \$3921, buyers

5,9 1 80 7 % half year \$208, sellers

1,492.91 6½ % for ½ yr. 68, buyers

678.94 \$5 half year \$185

514.5t 1 % for 1880 \$110

None

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March & Sept.

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13,781.53 6 % for 1 year \$145, buyers

12 % for 1886 \$54

2,730.09 13°/ for 1886 65°/ prem;

4,387.5.9 7 % for 1885 121 % dis., sellers

243,738.44 \$ 6 for 1887 \$81, sellers

494,406.00 10 % for 1885 \$75, sales

Tis. 23.65 for Fr. 257

314,012.96|26.%, 1886 |2871 per share, buyers

125,771.29 8 % for 1886 | 3215 per share, sellers

319, buyers

\$29, sales

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1, 27.3.11 bouns for 34 \$130 per share, buyers, fully

\$10

3144, sellers

12 % prem.

843 per share, sales

% prem., buyers

10 % prem., buyers

prem., buyers

Wirgmann, Mr and Mrs Verdollin; from Batavia, Mr Van Hemert; from Singapore, Mr Robert Huddle From Saigon Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess Imperial of Japan and Z servants, Mr and Mrs Sannomiya; Comte Bodjo, Comt Arima and 2 servants, Col. Jatsumi. Ec Kobe : from Maiseilles, Mr H. Trotzig.

TO DEPART. Por Marie, for Haiphong, Captain Geo V avanies, Lieut. Croz. Mr and Mrs Leroy Mr and Mrs Mayor, Mr Crotin, 2 Euro peans, and 82 Chinese.

Per Formosa, for Coast Ports, 1 European, and 300 Chinese. Per Anton, for Hollow, 40 Chinese. Per Actio, for Holhow, 25 Chinese. Per Desculion, for Singapore, & Euro-

ponns, and 591 Chineso. Per Priam, for Shanghai, 12 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Hniphong reports Left Fouchow 23rd, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 25th instant. From Foochow experienced N.W. to N.E. breezes. Amoy to Swatow, light N.E. and N.N.E. winds; an thence to Hongkong, moderate Fasterly breeze. Steamers in Foochow, Frichewand Butjan. Steamers in Amoy, Berlawers and Puyer. Steamers in Swatow, Feilung,

Swatow and Fidelio. The German steamer Prousen reports Left Woosung on 24th instant, 6.30 a.m., and reached Kowloon Wharf on 26th inst., 11.30 a.m.; after a quick run of 2 days, huors ; or taking into account difference in with fresh N.E. monsoon.

The British steamer Benlauers reports: Had tine weather, with moderate wind and sea.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For HOIHOW & PAKHOL-Per Activ, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

For AMOY & MANILA -Por Don Juan, at 0.30 p.m., on Monday, the 28th inst.

For SAIGON .-Per Ashington, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 28th inst. For SINGAPORE .-

Per De deros. at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 28th inst. FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS

LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL-LE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MEL-BOURNE & ADELAIDE -Peradirlie, at 4 p.m., on Monday, the SOURABAYA, SYDNEY, MEL-

BOURNE & ADELAIDE.-Per Clonearry, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 28th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW: Per Haiphong, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

For HAIPHONG.-Per Danube, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the CHRISTMAS & NEW

28th inst. For SWATOW & BA GKOK --Per Kong Beng, at 5 p.m., on Monday,

the 28th inst. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET .--

The German Contract Packet Preussen will be despatched on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c. The hours observed in closing the Mails,

&c., will be the same as in the case of the British Packet. Correspondence should be marked PER GERMAN MAIL, or with the name of the

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:—

Day of Departure .-Noon. - Money Order Office closes. P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. P.M.-Mail closed, except for Late. Letters.

3.10 p.m. Letters may be posted with

Late Fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M. - When the Post Office closes 3.40 P.M.-Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of

NOVEMBER 26, 1887.

Closin In talans,

Neither the Captain, the Agents, no Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Ufficers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--ALLIE Rowe, Hawaiian brig, Captain J.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Phillips. -Wieler & Co. Asia, British ship, Captain Thos. R Anderson.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. BENG SEWELL. American ship, Capt. S. . Ulmes. - Pustau & Co.

VELOCITY, British barque, Capt. R. Martin .- Pustau & Co.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight .- Formosa leaves for S'tow, &c. 11 a.m. Deucation leaves for London. Cyclops leaves for Shanghai.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :— Union Church.—Divine Worship, 31 A.M.-Rov. G. H. Bondfield. Service in Chinese, 2 P.M.—Rew J. Chalmers, M.A., SEAMEN'S SERVICES .- The Services for

Seamon which have been hitherto held in the Mission Church, Queen's Road, will be held in the future in Union Church. On Sunday and Friday evenings at 7.30. All Seamen are invited to attend. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -Service in the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann,

every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road.

9 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Evening Service, Benediction. ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH, Sailors Home.—Service overy Sunday at 6 P.M. Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. on the Second Sunday; and after the evening Service on the Fourth Sunday of each month. Service every Thursday at 6 P.M. TEMPERANCE HALL, 7.30 P.M.-Undeno

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

ninational Meeting.

11 a.m. - Priam leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m .- Deuteros leaves for Singapore. 4 p.m. - Airlie leaves for Sydney, &c. 4 p.m. - Cloncurry leaves for Sydney, &c 4 p. m. - German Mail leaves for Bremen and Ports of Call.

Auctions. Noon .- Auction of Flags, &c., at Messrs Turner & Co.'s godowns, Praya. Noon, -Auction of Bombay Yarn Messrs A. Ebrahim & Co.'s Godown.

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Christmas Confectionery

HONGKONG DISPENSARY Hougkong, November 14, 1887.

The publication of this issue commenced al 8.10 p.m.

The Olima Itland. ONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 188'

TELEGRAMS....

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL!'] (Via Southern Line.) THE CRISIS IN FRANCE. LONDON, Nov. 24

M. Brisson having been summoned by the President to form a Ministry, has declined to take office for the same reason as that given by M. Clemenceau.

THE MINISTERIAL CRISIS IN PARIS. LONDON, 24th November, 1887.

M. Grevy has resolved to resign. In an address to the country announcing this resolution he states that he cannot be answerable for the complications which he forsees in Home and Foreign politics, and that his resignation is caused by the impossibility of his being able to govern under present circumstances.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

DUTWARD BOUND :- Victora, H. Haarfager, Aug. 23; Toongu, Oct. 10; Altnacraig, 11; Teresa, 18; Flintshire, Poseidon, Chingwo, Nov. 4; Denbighshire, Glenartney, Lydia, 8; Teviol, Ursula 11 ; Djemnah, Prometheus, 15 ; Glenor

30 ; Agamemnon, Polyhymnia, Carmarthenshire, Oct. 4; Elektra, Glenearre, Benalder, Neckar, Yangise, Palamed. Olympia, 25; Br. conshire, Nov. 4 Orestes, Palinumus, 8; Diomed, Glenogle, Hesperia, Port Adelaid, 11; Ajax, Saghalien, Mosser, 10; Moynine, 18.

Janeiro, with the AMERICAN MAIL. was to leave Yokohama on Monday, the 21st instant, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 26th The steamship Mercapore, with the English

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s S. S. City of Rio de

on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 30th inst. This packet brings replies to letters de ances. spatched from Houghoug, on Sopt. steamship Bayern, with the next out-

ward GERKAN MAIL, dated Berlin, lat inst., left Singapore on the 25th inst.; Hants, and Keevil House, - Wilts and may be expected here on or about Violet, only daughter of the Hon. Blingeby the Chinese Admiral selected the granary Wednesday, the 36th inst

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 18th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 26th instant.

The Navegazione Generale Italiana Go.'s steamer Stura left Singspore for this port on the 18th instant, and may be expected to arrive on or about the 26th The Union Line steamer Cambodia left Singapore on the 19th instant, and may

be expected here on or about the 26th The steamship Japan, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 22nd inst., and may

The Glen Line steamer Glengyle, from London, left Singapore for this port pected here on or about the 30th ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S

CATHEDRAL -- IST SUNDAY IN ADVENT. Matins :- Voluntary, Lieder, Mendelsson, Venite, Hine; Pealms, Randall, Turie Beethoven & Garrett; Te Deum, Benedicite omnia Opera, (Bett); Jubi-late, Sangater M.S. No. 3; Anthem. Thine. O Lord, is the greatness (Kent); Kyria, From Schubert's Mass in Ellit, Hymn, 46; Voluntary, Inter-

Evensong :- Andantino, Silas ; Pealms, Turle &c. : Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis, Bunnett in F. No. 139; Anthem 'I will lay me down in peace'; (Gads ley) No. 112; Hymns, 48 & 52; Voluntaries, Allegro, Graun ; Benedictus. 12th Mass. Mozart.

esting article on Early Medical informa- phires, he would not punish him so heavily tion on Fever in Hongkong.

By kind permission of Captain Hamilton, Divine Service will be conducted on board the British ship Leander, by Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, to-morrow forenoon.

Messas Melchers & Co. inform us that the Norddeutscher Lloyd s. s. Bayern, with the cutward German Mail, dated Berlin, the 1st inst., left Singapore yesterday, and may be expected here on or about Wednesday,

the 30th inst. A MARINE Court will assemble at the Harbour Office on Monday, the 28th inst. at 10.30 s.m., to enquire into the circumstances attending the collision and loss of the British s.s. Killarney in Iloilo Bay on the 14th November.

WE would draw the attention of our readers to the notice in another column announcing to Portugal .- N.-C. Daily News. the temporary withdrawal of the Tungsha light-yessel, in the Shanghai district, for ropairs. The light-vessel Newchwang will take her place till the repairs are com-

MESSES Butterfield and Swire inform us that the O. S. S. Coy's steamer Nestor, from London, left Singapore yesterday afternoon, and is due here on the 2nd prox. The s.s. Achilles, from Liverpool left Singapore this afternoon, and is due here on the 3rd proximo.

By kind permission of Colonel Anderson and the officers of the 2nd Northampton. shire Regiment, the Regimental Band will play in the Public Gardens on Sunday, the 27th inst., from 3.30 till 5, instead of 9 to 10 p.m. The following will be the pro-

gramme:--... Baluklaya Peter Schmoll . Belgian' Valse Naples Waldten Selection from Various Authors ... Gassner. Heart of My Heart Beydel.

JOHN MORAN, Bandmaster.

THE British steamer Vortigern, Captain Brown, is now 21 days out from Sourabaya, and grave fears are entertained for her safety. There is a likelihood that she encountered the typhoon that was raging in the China Sea about a fortnight ago. The only news that has been received Hongkong is a telegram which was sent about the vessel's departure. She laden with sugar, old copper, oil. steamer Deuteros, which left Sourabaya fou days after the Vortigera, arrived here on Thursday, without having seen anything of

the latter. John Sobolef, a seaman on board the Russian man-of-war Rynda was charged in the Police Court this morning, before Mr Mitchell Innes, with assaulting Inspector I. M. Corcoran. The Inspector stated that the prisoner, who had been drunk and dis- candles with China is important, and caporderly last night, atruck him on the nose with his hand. The Inspector was assisted by Private Stephen Flannigan, of the Northamptonshire Regiment, in taking the prisoner into custody. His Worship imposed a fine of three dollars.

Yeung Amia, a married woman 62 years of in the Police Court to-day charged, at the wick projecting at the bottom, so as to be instance of Inspector Hennessy, with at tempting to commit suicide by jumping into the harbour. The case was remanded. For stealing a silver watch from a woman

7; Djemnah, 11; Vardiganshire, 14; fore Mr Mitchell-Innes in the Police Court

Chu Asoo were brought up in the Police Court to-day before Mr Mitchell-Innes charged with carrying kerosene on their alleged, had 300 cases on board his boat, and the second was said to have carried 250 sufficiently covered, being exposed at the for a week, the defendants being allowed beil of \$200 on their personal recognis-

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES. - A Marriage is The Norddeutscher Lloyd S. S. Co.'s arranged :- Between Mr Archibald Hicke-Beach, King's Royal Rifles, eldest son of

was heard in the Police Court to-day by Mr Mitchell-Innes. Mr Dennys who peared for both prisoners, said that the first prisoner had already admitted taking the articles he was charged with stealing and all he need say with regard to him was of every possible Oriental language, except to ask his Worship to look upon the matter modern Greek, have been engaged, and as leniently as possible. The things were be expected here on or about the 29th taken from Roy, and that was not like (the Berlin co respondent of the Daily taking them from a patient in the Hospital, robbing a man who was sick and unable to on the 23rd instant, and may be ex- defend himself. He had not aggravated his offence; he told Roy where the things were and gave them up to him, -Evidence. was then heard as to the charge against the second prisoner. John Roy stated in the witness-box that the chain said to have been stolen from Watson by the prisoner was very like a chain which he (Roy) had given prisoner a year ago. His Worship expressed himself dissatisfied with the evidence as to the ownership of the chain. It was not sufficient to convince him that the second prisoner had stolen it. As to the other two things they were of such very little value that he thought the prisoner might be excused for taking them. With regard to the first defendant, in consideration of On our fourth page will be found an inter- his bringing back the gold ring and sapas he would otherwise have done. would be sent to prison for two months That if the water supply from Tytam is not with hard labour. Had these articles been the property of patients in the Hospital

> would have been more severe. The second defendant was discharged. THE Scotchmen in Amoy will celebrate St. Andrew's Day, 30th instant, with a Ball at the Amoy Club Theatre.

instead of the wardmaster's the punishment

ME Chow Ping acknowledges for th Yellow River Inundation Fund, Tls. 100 from Mesars. Melchers & Co., received by them as a fine from Wung-kong, a native dealer, who had made spurious imitations of a private trade mark.

Ir is believed at Poking that the difficulty between China and Portugal will be com promised in the manner we suggested some time since; that is, that the treaty will be ratified with the omission of any formal mention of the definitive cession of Macao

WE learn from a private letter that a portion of the Yellow River has found its way into the Grand Canal 41 li north of Yangchow, flowing with an immense current afterwards leaves the Canal and makes its way by a short cut to the Yangtze, so that now part of the Yellow River empties itself as was expected it would into the Yangtze. -N.-C. Daily News.

that the Conference of the American Methodist Mission which closed its session last Tuesday, thoroughly investigated the matter alluded to in the Echo last week; namely the sale of foreign medicines by the Native Catechists and that strong action was taken against the ovil and for its entire suppres-THE Foochots Echo says :- Rumours from Pagoda Anchorage say that the Arsena

WE are informed, says the Foochow Echo.

Authorities are going to build a pontoon bridge across the big creek there. Also that the Captain of the Yang Woo, the frigate that was sunk during the bombard ment, has been reinstated in command, having now assumed charge of the steamer On Oct. 18 a public meeting and valedictory service was held in the Excter Lower Hall, Strand, in connection with the

China Inland Mission, to take leave of missionaries for China. The missionaries that are about to leave are Mr and Mrs Pigott (returning), Miss F. Bord (returning), Miss Campbell, Miss Williamson, Miss Palmer, Miss F. Ellis, Miss C Ellis, Miss E. Hainge, Miss M. Mitchell, Miss E. Marchbank, Miss G. Ord, and Miss Ramsay. MR Albert Sassoon and Mdlle. Aline de

Rothschild were married on the 19th Oct. at the Synagogue in the Rue de la Victoire. Paris. The alliance between the two most wealthy families in the world, which was celebrated according to the Mosaic rite, with a splendid musical service, drew together an enormous attendance, and the fact that every momber of the Corps Diplomatique was present is a conclusive proof that the Rothschilds are a political as well as a financial power in the world. CANDLE TRADE IN CHINA. -The Bulletin du Muste Commercial states that the trade in

able of great development. The candles most in demand in China are those which are of the colour of red scaling wax. Blue candles are used in inneral ceremonies, and there might well be made a larger supply of these. At present none but white candles are imported into China, and they are surface-coloured very cheaply before being resold. It should be remembered in preparing candles for the China market that age, was brought before Mr Mitchell-Innes | the Chinese prefer them with a bamboo easily fixed into a hole in the candlestick. THE AMOY DIBASTER.—The Amoy Gazette

gives some details with regard to the explo-

sion in Amoy. The most of these parti-

culars have been already given by us, but Homewand Bound:-Benlarig, Hector, Sept. with whom he had been on terms of inti- we observe the Gazette gives another mucy Four Akau, a coolie, was brought be- rumour with regard to the probable origin of the explosion. It says :-- The actual cause of the explosion is, so far, unknown. Bellerophon, Glenroy, Electra, Tetan; to day and was sentenced to one month's but it is assumed that a Chinese official,

Morey, 18; Glenfalloch, Imperator, 21, band labour. gazine, in having certain inflammable com-Two boatmen named Leung A hing and bustibles removed, or carelessly handled the same, allowed a box, containing torpedo detonators, to drop, and explode others say, that a spark from a tobacco pipe, or through the careleseness with fire, boats illegally. The first prisoner, it was so common amorest Chinese soldiers, kindled a quantity of damaged gunpowder which was being dried. - We hope the local authorities will profit by this accident and cases of kerosene without having the cargo erent their Powder Magazine out of the suburbs of the town. - Since writing the above, we are credibly informed that not Mail of Oct. 28, was to leave Singapore | back and sides. The case was remanded | less than 7,000 picula, (over 400) tons) guppowder existed in the magazine at the time of the explosion; that parts of the roofs of the Yamen, of the Hai Fang Ting, Soon Khiam, and You Hoo fell down with a crash and that the entire roof of the Chee Yong Choo Him (Examination Hall) and the Pak San Ghiam Joss House, situated on the hill, behind the powder Mr W. W. B. Beech, M.P., of Oakley Halt, magazine, were totally destroyed. It is currently reported that four years ago when

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Cyclops, from | Funrusa evidence in connection with the | inhabitanta protested against it, but he said charges against Ho Abo and Ho Awai, the that the property belonged to the governmont and that he was doing it for the bene fit two servants in Government Civil Hospital, of the people, to protect them from the

> THE NEW GERMAN ORIENTAL SEMINARY,-The Oriental Seminary, recently endowed at considerable expense by the German Government, was opened on Oct. 18, under the direction of Professor Sachu. Teachers great advantages are expected to accrue to German trade therefrom. It is no secret Telegraph says) that the main object of the nstitution is to enable merchants to acquire Eastern languages in order to be able to compete better with foreigners. Foreigners desirous of taking advantage of the seminary will only be permitted to do so on payment of very high fees. Up to Oct. 15, the commondement of the winter term, 130 had inscribed their names, of whom forty are merchants, some of thom men between forty and fifty years of age.

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the drainage of this Colony has long been a diagrace to the British administrution of the Island, and that the reform admitted to be necessary is very long in being carried out.

That, although the present able Head of the Public Works here is not responsible for the existence of many of the old drains or their defects, he has incurred a great risk in putting off reconstruction so long, pending the completion of the Tytam Waterworks.

guaranteed to residents for say another year, as is reported, some drastic messures must be taken by the Government to stave off an epidemic.

That, as the Surveyor General has bitherto been credited with a knowledge of practical sanitation, and little or nothing has been done, it follows that a Special Commission should be appointed to deal with the whole question of insanitary condi-

That I hear that a letter from the Westenders is being forwarded to Government, setting forth some of the causes of the recent wide-spread sickness, and that some of the signatories' notes appended are both forcible and plainly put. That the continuance of this sickness during two months of the cool weather leads

with the disease than the exhalations of вожадо дов. That the Sanitary Board has evidently been playing at drain-ventilation like children, and the hoisting on Robinson Road of notice-boards which offend alike the intelligence and good taste of a whole neighbourhood does not lessen the killing

to the belief that malaria has less to do

poisou. That I would not give five dollars for the concrete mass of wisdom in the Sanitary Board, if that body sanctioned the sforesald nuisance placards issued in English

powers of the whiffs of concentrated drain -

in its name. That I think you were rather severe in calling upon all the members of the Sanitary Board to resign, as I have heard more than one member use yery unparliamentary language in reference to the noticeboard-from which circumstance I infer that the small board is not a chip of the

big Board. That, at the same time, if the members permit public acts to be done in their name of which they disapprove, without protest, and without seeing that such protest is publicly noted, then I ogree with you that resignation is a small penalty enough.

That if the proceedings of this Board were copen to the public, the inner-workings which now are so puzzling would become plainer, and the Sanitary Board would then be more healthy than it now is. That the brave fellows of H.M.S. Wasp Ki must. I fear, be given up as lost, and their countrymen can but say that they died at their posts, while doing their

That deficient skill in navigation had probably little to do with the sad loss, while Admiralty designs and lack of experience in seamanship may have had much. That in a typhoon everything would depend on the handling of a ship, especially one of her build.

That now the Marine Court has vindicated the law in the case of the Wah-young by punishing a good man, perhaps the proper anthorities will devote some attention to the loose way things are conducted on board Chinese-owned steamers. That shipmasters and other officers, by rease.

son of their migratory habits, are a body without organisation, and in consequence suffer much injustice which they should take steps to remedy by forming an Eastern Shipmasters' Society in connection and in correspondence with the great Home Society. That if the members of the mercantile ma-

an energetic Secretary and a Solicitor to take care of their interests, they would cease to be the football of either owners or Marine Courts. That Fire Insurance Companies are having a tad time, and now threater inwads on

rine here had such an organisation, with

the Marine proserves, in the same way that Lloyds went in for Fire business and—got burnt That Hongkong never threatened to impose a duty on Tonquin rice, and is not

so foolish as to give up her freedom for a mess of that kind, although the French thomselves eare succeeding wonderfully well in strangling that important trade. That Tonquin ought to bear in mind that Hongkong can afford to smile equally at her existence or non-existence

* Equalisation of Dividend Fund.

+ Depreciation and Insurance Fund.

1 At debit

ex div., nominal

ex div., nominal

buyers

official hours.

of the kind anywhere.

further off, if anything.

to be broken.

rivila or excels the very angels. That if the Blarney Stone is not near his now estate and castle, it matters little,

That the Hon. W. M. Deane, both on ac-

count of experience and official position, is a good man to be on the Executive Council. That the announcement of the Hon. H. G.

Thomsett as an official member of the Legislative Council was a reminder of the official phalanx -an array of which, it is hoped, may not be required for some time to come. BROWNIE.

THE PRAYA RECLAMATION

SCHEME.

A meeting of Marine Lut-holders was held this afternoon to consider certain proposals made by the Government in answer to communications sent to them. Hon. C. P. Chater presided, and was assisted by Mr Francis. There were also present Hop. J. Bell-Irving, Messrs Isaac Hughes, H. Hoppius, G. Sharp, J. S. Mosely, J. S. Moses, E. George, E. L. Woodin, F. W. Cross, D.

McCulloch, J. McConnchie, S. E. Shellim, and J. M. Machado. The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, -- We met last on the 8th October and ou that day a resolution was carried, with only three dissentient voices, to the effect that while the Marine Lot holders there present did not, so far, accept the Government terms for the Reclamation of the Praya, they were of opinion from a general point of view and in their own individual interests, that the extension of the Praya seaward was very desirable. Since the date of that meeting and of that resolution considerable progress has been made; the Government has given its most serious consideration to the various objections to the scheme that had been put forward, and suggestions that had been made for its improvement by the Chinese com-

munity, by the European landlords intorested and by the public press, and we ourselves have had further time and more abundant opportunities of studying the question and becoming better acquainted with its merits and demerits. The Government has as appears by the correspondence which has been published and which I will read to you just now, consented to modify the conditions originally laid down by it, and has mot us almost half way ; and we. I believe, are more firmly convinced than ever that the reclamation o the Praya in the central portion of the city is the best possible means of promoting the health and prosperity of the place, and landowners. You may possibly think that being retained to no purpose in the Treas scheme of sawerage, what is it to be the Government has been a little dilatory sury till the reclamation is finished; and I for the different sections? In the its mind and in communicating its final vernment is prepared to make a further will be greater than in the Western determination on the subject, but allow me concession although not referred to in the portion. Will the cost of the sewerage of to assure you that the time has not been wasted. When we last met I pointed out that the arrival of our new Governor must | quate security in place of a deposit of the the case. necessarily entail delay. He was quite new to the place and to the question and must have time to make himself theroughly condone so, and I can assure you, gentlemen, that he is strongly in favour of the scheme, and definite opinion's upon all points con- yielded somewhat. It was a hotly con- Mr Chater-I shall again approach the Price. Mr Lister and Dr. Stewart, we spent some hours over these plans and in the conhave been raised to them and to the proposals put forward by the Government originally, and the modifications now made are the result in the main of that conference. I have no hope of our obtaining any further amendments or alterations, unless in the progress of the work new conditions should arise demanding consideration; and we are met to-day to accept the Government proposals as amended by the Colonial Secretary's letter of the 18th instant, or to

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 18th November, 1857. ult. on the subject of the proposed Praya reclamation. I am directed by the Governor to request you to convey to the Marine Lot-owners His Excellency's regrets at his determine to-day that this reclamation able way of dealing with Marine Lot-holders inability to meet the whole of their views! and wishes, as expressed in the resolutions ask you to pass a further resolution binding | Mr Cross-I think it would be a great which you forwarded.

roject them. I feel sure; gentlemen, that

the letter.

pared to make concessions on the following | the means of collecting it. On all other | also if we had details as to the sewerage.

your suggestion, and allow the contractors or amendments in their plans; and all enough to decide upon, from an angineering first calls for payment on account of work things considered, Gentlemen, I think we point of view at any rate. One could executed to be met from the preliminary have done well; and I now beg to propose; hardly be expected to accept such a work deposit fund, until the latter is exhausted, on the understanding in respect of subse. accept the terms offered by the Govern. to know something of the estimates. quent payments that any Lot-owner failing to meet the calls of the Government for the balance of the moneys due by him shall forfeit his rights to the reclamation the proposed new Praya roadway being re-

duced to a width of 65 feet. fact that the lots will be artificially reclaimed from the sea at great cost, His Excellency is disposed to relax the rules which would apply to lots situated on dry lands. and will therefore consent to back vards I somewhat less than 15 feet in width. In tion. this connexion the following scale is prescribed, and I am to add that no proposition if any other gentleman has anything to say and if you are agreeable to this I shall be to still further reduce the widths of back. I on this proposition. yards will be entertained :--

Houses of 4 depth of 50 ft. or less to have 10 feet jun (rom 60-to 80 ft. 70 to 50 70 30 to 100 ...

Resolution 8 .- Without at all amentic to the principle that Marine dot-owners obviously fair that each should contribute and considered. to the whole reclemation only that part of

That His Excellency the Governor, although | the cost which had been incurred in respect important Colonial subjects, has an ob. it nevertheless disposed to think that there we are going on to, and probably all the jection to talking too much shop after are considerations, partly in connection Chinese are not quite ready yet with their contemplation in a rtain quarters, but payment per area in some cases than in it would not be wrong to give thom the be done That I quite expect the above remark will ing to defray the cost, His Excellency will proposition and vote with the Chinese that follows: -That, in twithstanding, when once the domands contained in the rest of the Rose, w shes. more advantage be considered after the and not leave it indefinite. like the promises of statesmen, it is made tion of the sea-wall with greater accuracy. Shing You will see that the new their own expense. a continuation, and that the sea frontage that it will also show the increased depth of them at all, between two cross streets will in every case for he has drawn all the good out of it be equitably divided between lot-owners in proportion to their present frontage.

I have the honour to be, Sir, Your most obedient Servant, FREDERICK STEWART. Colonial Secretary. The Honourable C. P. Chater.

To that letter, gentlemen, not feeli quite anre about the interpretation to be put upon the last few lines with reference sent the following reply:-

Hongkong, 22nd Nov. 1887. The Hon. F. Stewart, LL. D., Colonial ed between lot-owners in proportion to their

Sir.—With reference to the last paragraph where you state that the extension of the by the reading of this letter, that loss is of 7 cents a foot to the whole of the not checked. make these extensions at right angles to ment. This new plan will have to be the line of the proposed sea-wall. The circulated amongst the Marine lot-owners, pa sage in your letter which I refer to may and when that is done I have no doubt you have either meaning, and I therefore would shall be informed and we shall meet here be obliged by your elucidating this point for the information of the marine lot- agreeable to my withdrawing the original owners. I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant.

(Sd) C. P. CHATER. In answer I received, a letter which is as follows :--

- Colonial Secretary's Office. 22nd Nov. 1887.

The Ho . C. P. Chater. Sin, -In reply to your letter of this date on the subject of the street extensions on the proposed Prays Reclamation, I have the honor by direction of the Governor to express His Excellency's regret-that the explanation given in my letter No. 1781 of the 18th instant was not more lucid.

With the view of clearing up the doubt which has not unnaturally arisen, I am to refer you to the plan signed by the Acting Governor, whereon the directions of the Streets are precisely indicated. - I have the honor to be. Sir. your most obedient ser-

> FREDERICK STEWART. "Colonial Secretary."

doubt on the point. Now what have we that some details may be given to the gained by our representations ! As to the future meeting. Between now and that amount of Crown land and its apportion- time there will be some time in which ment, referred to in the first of the Chinese | details can be got at. The cost of this surresolutions, -- nothing. The Government vey is supposed to be burne by the Marine on this point is inflexible. As to deposit Lot-holders. Would it not be fair for the on account of cost of reclamation we have Government to bear that cost, seeing the providing for our large and rapidily-increas. gained something. There must be a de- advantage they get from the scheme, and ing population, and will be, at the same posit, but it will be applied in payment of let us know at the future meeting time, of advantage to us individually as the earlier expenses of the work instead of what it is to cost. and has taken too long a time in making up think I may say that on this point the Go- central portion the cost of the sewerage Colonial Secretary's letter. It will in each section fall for that section fitting cases, be prepared to accept adeactual money. This to some may he an building land. As to the much-debated now, and I understand there are some understands it thoroughly and has clear question of backyards the Government has more in the same position. nected with it. He did me the honour to tested point, and I was afraid at one time Government and see if we cannot get discuss the matter with me personally as that we should fail of anccess, but common them to pay for the cost of this suryour representative, and together with Mr sense conquered at last, as it is always sure | vey. I broached that matter before, and to do with our present Governor, and we I was told that the treasury was empty and have a sliding scale by which the require- that the Government was not in a position sideration of the numerous objections that | ments as to backyards are proportioned to | to spend much money for benefiting the the depth of the house to which they are Marine Lot-holders. I shall try it again attached. A house with a depth of 90 to and see if we cannot get the Covernment 100 feet can afford to have a 15-foot back. to acquiesce-in that proposition. With reyard, while a house of only 50 feet in depth | gard to the newerage, as I said, it is distinctcannot. In reply to our representations as ly laid down in the Government's letter to the distribution of the cost of the recla- that each section will have to pay its own mation work, His Excellency admits that expenses. With regard to the third point they are deserving of consideration and you touched upon-Jrown rent-that is a that there are good reasons for varying the point I fought out with the Governorcharge per square foot of land reclaimed in fact with the Executive Council, and on according to position and depth of water. no account would the Government give way. He therefore consents to the division of the They said it would not be a right thing to work into suitable sections and to the as- give advantage to some of the Marine Lotyou will accept them. I will now read you sessment of the cost to individuals in holders who have had a small Crown rent proportion to the expense of reclaim hitherto. By this one universal rate the ing in their particular section. But Government do not benefit materially, Sin, Adverting to your letter of the 6th | this entails yery careful surveys and although they may make a slight increase. estimates, and to make these certain There are others paying now considerably

scheme shall be carried out I will have to by making one universal rate for all. yourself to provide funds, and at once, for service if at the next meeting we should The Governor would, however, be pre- this indispensable survey and to arrange have an estimate of the various items, points the Government remain firm and At present we have only got a general Resolution 2.—His Excellency will adopt refuse to assent to any further alterations plan and scheme before us and it is hardly That the Marine-Lot-holders here present upon a general scheme. One would want

ment for the reclamation of the Frava as plained. Will any one second this ?

Mr. La Shing moved the following resolution Government. tion :- That insembed us the Scheme is of great importance and that it is not easy to fully explain to all the Chinese owners without a corrected plan shewing the division of failed plan specification and perhaps tender, and the absolute absence of Ventilation mentioned, in Robinson Road and from the the main building by an open passage way. the ground according to the amended Gov. so that you would know exactly what each in the Public Sewers, have caused the Dust Bin at the Mosque Steps At the are the bathrooms, servants' quarters, cook ernment proposals, it is desirable that further time should be taken to consider have so a priori right to the foreshore in the question, and that this meeting be postfront of their lots, such as would make it | poned until a corrected plan can be unde

Mr Chor Chan seconded,

with the cost to be incurred, which views on the matter. There are one or two

Thirdly, it will show the frontage of each come in handy. may be the position of the proposed new postponing the meeting. sea-wall I am to mention that the extension of the cross streets must be on the same to the direction of the new cross streets, I centre line as the present cross-streets, of which they will only be a continuation, and age. that the sea-frontage between two cross streets will in every case be equitably divid- area than others proportionally. present frontage. As it now stands the increase in the width of the cross streets of your letter to me of the 18th instant, falls upon the two bordering lots, whereas find that \$100,000 would make a difference which the advent of the cool weather has cross streets in the prop sed new reclaims- divided equally between the two crosstions must be on the same centre line as streets. Each section-holder or lot-holder the question of cost. the present cross street, I would be obliged | will have to bear his proportion of the loss by your informing me, whether it is meant for widening the stroot. Consequently I streets shall be a continuation in the same | Li Shing is reasonable; and as to the fixing straight line of the present streets, or whe- of time, I think that will depend upon the

> Mr E. L. Woodin-I think it is mani feetly unfair that the marine lot-holders should be called upon to pay for the cost of roads and sewers which would be for the use of the whole Colony. As I understand the Government will have a large area of reclaimed ground at their disposal, a portion of it should be sold and the proceeds devoted to the construction of such public works. The Reclamation Scheme if carried out will no doubt benefit some Marine lot-holders, but it will certainly not do so in our case, because the strip of land apportioned to usistotally unfit for our requirements; and if we disposed of it we should be parting with our water frontage which is judispensable to our business; therefore, so far as concerns my Company, we do not require the reclamation. We are quite satisfied with our present position, and to reclaim the land in front would be only expending

again. I am glad that my seconder is

money for no purpose whatever. Mr. F. W. Cross-Before this resolution This letter, gentlemen, clears up all is put, if I am in order, I would suggest

The Chairman-Certainly, that will be Mr Cross-Could not the Government advantage. As to the third resolution, His be approached again on that Crown rent Excellency consents to a reduction of the question? Take the case of the Gas versant with it in all its bearings. He has width of the Praya by ten feet, thus giving Company, we shall be just double the each of us ten feet greater depth of available Crown rent on the new lot of what we are

> preliminary costs must be increased, which more than we are to be called upon to pay we must rovide for. If, therefore, you The Governor thought it a fair and equit-

The Chairman-If any one would make modified and explained by the Colonial a motion proposing that the Govern-Secretary's letters of the 18th Nov., 1887, ment should make a detailed plan at our and of the 22nd Nov., 1887, and pledge cost-if I do not acceed in perauliding the Resolution 3.—The Governor consents to themselves to cooperate with the Govern. Government to pay for it—of the whole seament therein and to become parties to any | bid and give us each a note of the exact cost agreement that may be necessary between of each of the lots. I should aubmit it to the Resolution 4 -In consideration of the the Government and themselves for the Government, and we would begin work incarrying out of the Prays Reclamation stantly. His Excellency is most auxious scheme on the terms so modified and ex. that the work should begin at once, and he went the length of saying that if we agreed Hon. J. Bell Irving 1 have very much open the scheme he would wire Home for leasure in seconding Mr Chater's proposi- a staff of men to come out at once and make a detailed plan of the foreshore. The cost Mr Chater-I shall be very glad to hear | will not exceed \$5.00 it may be is s-

Mr Woodin-Would that include the salary of the special men coming out

be glad to put it.

energetically informing himself upon all of the portion allotted to him, the Governor reasonable one. It is a very big enterprise ment be called upon to make out a detail- directions. ed plan at our expense. made without going Home?

That a raid on Dock shares seems to be in appear to point to the justice of lower mints to which they demur, and perhaps The Chairman—If that is possible, it will have enclosed and converted into the stench was enough to sicken any one, awakened by a sudden glare and the sound that holders need not fear, as the pro- there, and for that reason is willing to us- postponement asked for in Mr Li Shing's The Chairman then handed a resolution hill in a corresponding manner and moved, the healthy air.

be flatly contradicted, but the future of cause a detailed survey of the sea-bed to be this meeting should be adjourned till such pose that the Marine Lot Holders we cannot help drawing the conclusion they like meeting should be adjourned till such pose that the future of cause a detailed survey of the sea-bed to be this meeting should be adjourned till such pose that the future of cause a detailed survey of the sea-bed to be this meeting should be adjourned till such pose that the Docks means the future of Hong. prepared. In conclusion, I am to state that time as they would be more prepared with interested in the Praya Reclamation have been and are an important element in to find out the smell that he has taken to only in the early morning when one of the it will not be possible to hequiesce in the their scheme or with their views and Scheme forthwith raise by contribution the cause. Although in most cases the lead the Schittery Board away from it— coolies went to open the venetian shutters. wire-pullers s t to work, mything in the lutions, and that the questions relating to Mr Bell-Irving-I have no objection to age on the Praya of their respective holdings not typhoid character, we venture to think on the very spot—he would have done the families became aware of the attempt

the division of the lands and to the shape withdraw as the seconder of the original such sum not exceeding \$5000 as the Go- this Sewer aspect of the question demands better. That our Forts are well advanced, while the of the terminus at West Point, raised proposition, but I think that the time vernment may require for a preliminary the strictest investigation. In reference to The fact is, and I speak from facts, that inside the wooden rail of the guns, mon. and torpedo boats are still in by your European correspondents in the should be specified (applause). We ought survey of the still in by your European correspondents in the should be specified (applause). the position of Christmas, or, rather onclosures which you forward, may with to know how long the delay is likely to be in the limits fixed for the Reclamation and attention to the evidence given by Dr Bell community suffer than that one of his pet cloth bag which had contained the powder. of the bed of the sea in front thereof. That the new Colonial motto will have to completion of the detailed surveys, when it Mr Chater—I shall give you the reasons | Mr Li Shing said the Chinese Lot-hold—the uninhabitable completion of the detailed surveys, when it Mr Chater—I shall give you the reasons | Mr Li Shing said the Chinese Lot-hold—the uninhabitable completion of the detailed surveys, when it

That Sir John Pope Hennessy has again proposed new seawall, I am to mention the Praya. The original width was must make a survey to tell them what he traced the cause in 300 houses di. the Sewer is not carried higher or blocked, much of its force; but the wall and made use of that charming porsussive that the extension of the cross-streets must 70 rest, and the Government have now if would cost. The Chinese, however, rectly to the drainage, and the Government have now if would cost. The Chinese, however, rectly to the drainage, and the Government have now if would cost. The Chinese, however, rectly to the drainage, and the Government have now if would cost. The Chinese, however, rectly to the drainage, and the found if the money spent on that stupid wall had venetians opposite, for an area of ten feet ness in which, like most Irishmen, he be on the same centre line as the present made us a concession and reduced it to 65 could make half a dozen surveys if cross-streets, of which they will be only feet. That is one reason, and the second is they liked; that would not interfere with ted or the drains laid down in a proper been money sensibly laid out. the new lots, because by lessoning the width Mr. Woodin-We are badly off for a recover, and that the type of the disease credit for all he has done for us; but it is From the position the powder was placed

of the Praya it makes the lots deeper. survey of the coast just now and it would was not necessarily of a Typhoid character high time either that this gentleman in, and the fact that another bag containing new lot according to the amended proposals, The Chairman then read over the resoluting away of the body without any opporent pastures new, or that his almost unchecked of the verandul unexploded, it is plain that in which the space between each two streets tion, and he intimated that Mr Li Shing sign of disease. is proportionally divided. You will see in seconded it. He thought this resolution f. We have drawn attention to some of the last paragraph of the Government letter ought to be put before the general re- the salient causes which appear to us the following statement: but whatever solution of Mr Li Shing with regard to worthy the investigation of H. E. The

> according to the area?'-The Chairman-According to the front- cellency will be pleased to take into his

Mr Oross-I have worked this out and has been and is visiting this locality, and area. That was why I brought forward . We now respectfully urge that, pending a

The Chairman-I am delighted with the above outbreak of sickness. His Excelresolution, because it will allow us to go leney would be pleased to orderthat the entire extensions of these cross think the postponement asked for by Mr on with the work. Otherwise we should 1. The Removal of all the Hovels and have lost fully two months. And by this | Squatters on In and Lot No. 795 for means we shall know exactly what the which we are advised the Government has ther you adhere to the original plan and new plan being got ready by the Govern- cost will be, and that will materially aid power under existing Ordinances. us in arriving at a conclusion.

> The resolution was then put and carried was then put and carried. Mr Cross-Will the details include an

estimate of the whole cost? The Chairman-Every detail you will 4. That all Garbage and street sweepings have to pay for. This meeting is adjourned until the Government give us detailed plans and an estimate of what the whole cost

DRAIN POISONING IN THE WES-TERN DISTRICT.

The following letter with regard to the drain-poisoning that is going on in the Western district has been sent to H. E. the Governor. We have not time this matter which the signatories bring before otherwise. the Governor, but we trust the subject will receive most careful study, for some remedy is clamantly wanted. We understand that the signatures at the foot of the memorial might have been largely increased had their been more time, and that since it has been sent in many have come forward seeking to

The Letter is as follows:-Hongkong, 25th November, 1887. SIR, -We the Undersigned, Residents at the Western End of the City and others. beg most respectfully to direct the urgent attention of His Excellency The Governor. and the Sanitary Board, to the serious insanitary condition of the above District. During the past summer mouths, fever has never been absent from the majority of. if not all, the foreign residences in the neighbourhood, native and foreign inmates having been attacked indiscriminately, some households have had as many as forty changes of servants within a few weeks, and the mortality amongst Chinese has

That some special causes exist, which produce this insalubrious condition, must, we think, be admitted; it is not in our power to indicate the actual factors at work. we desire however to draw, the attention of His Excellency to some of the insanitary aspects of the districts, which in our opinion may have reduced this neighbourhood to a perfect Hospital.

a. On Inland Lot No. 795, near the junction of the Poktoolub and Hill Roads. and on the Hill Side to the South of the Gas Works, a native village of Squatters has been permitted to spring up, with its usual atter absence of sanitation of any kind whatever; the numerous hovels comprising the village are huddled together in a most irregular and close manner, they are densely crowded every night with men women and children of the lowest class, cows and pigs are also we understand housed in the village, the ground owing to the absence of drais etc., is completely saturated with sewage and impregnated with feecal matter, so that the place is simply a hot-bed of disease. Noxious trades, such as 'Soy making are carried on there and the smells emanating from this colony are, at times, painfully apparent and spread to a considerable distance to the Eastward, specially during the South-west Moonsoon. That such a concourse of Natives should be allowed to collect in such close propinquity to European Residences, we consider a crying evil which demands instant remo-

b. On the Hill-side above Bonham Road there is, at times, an exhalation of foul odours that should be abated, caused by coolies drying Sugal-bags. The effect of (Signad) heavy rains on these Sugar-bags is to cause the soil to become gatorated with refuse from the bags to such an extent as to become not only a nuisance but doubtless a standing source of danger. c. The tenants of several of the nativa Flower Gardens in this neighbourhood persist in manuring their plants and vege-

tables with offensive liquid manure; several of them have been summoned, but the result did not encourage the Residents to take further steps in the matter. d. In the native town just under this The Honorable Frederick Stewart, LL D. part of Bonham Road, there exists a depôt for the storage of garbage and refuse material, which lies rotting and exposed to all weathers. Further West, in the same neighbourhood (Lap-Sap-Wan) the destruction by burning of refuse matter, street sweepings, garbage do., is carried on in a very primitive fashion, the burning being, most happy to submit the proposition to at times, only partly accomplished, the

permeates the whole Western area. s. The mode, in which the Native to be the head of the Sanitary Board. Mr C ater-It would include all a de- Town below the above District is drained. I am personally affected with the smells | throughout. At the back, separated from section is going to cost and thereby each whole of the levels above and slong time that Dust Bin was being built I had | houses &c., all built in the same substantial Marine lot. The sections will probably the entire langths of Caine and Bon- an interview with Mr Prize and tried to way. The inmates of the house, on the embrace 4 or 5 or 6 Marine lots according ham Boads and the Residences near point out the inconvenience it would be to i night in question, were two of the to the depth of water. I am dury if any of the upper or dead ends of the Public, the surrounding inhabitants. I might so fourtons ladies, one having with her, you would move such a resolution I should | Sewers, to be poisoned with the concentrate well have falked to the door of Mr Price's her little daughter and foreign, nurse. od efficient from these Sewers, the noxious room, for he had settled that there the They had all retired to met the

Mr. Chater-I think the proposition is a Mr. Woodin-I propose that the Govern and fostid gases being disseminated in all Dust Bin should be placed. And now that ladies occupying the rooms on the right It has been carefully observed by some offal of the neighbourho d, the smell is in and nurse were on the left, when some time Mr Li Sing-Could you not get a survey of us and is therefore a matter of fact, tolerable. When my friend and myself in the small hours in the following morning

neighbourhood altogether to these Sewers, where the smell arises from of Richmond in an action connected with falls should be proved wrong. manner, the patients immediately began to Wo are quite willing to give Mr Price lings and flooring being much charred.

Governor and the Sanitary Board ; we do Mr Cross -- The cost would be divided not pretend to have exhausted them, we do however venture to hope that His Exmost favorable consideration and at his questions brought before him, so that no Price puts the matter very differently from The Chairman—We simply deal with the time may be lost in endeavouring to mitigate the cause of the severe suffering that

thorough investigation into the cause of the

2. The stoppage of drying Sugar Bags on the Hill-side above the City. The land to be drained and thickly planted with trees. Mr Li Shing's motion as to adjournment 3. The infliction of heavy penalties on native Gardeners convicted of using offensive liquid manure within the limits of the

shall be removed to a distant locality and burned in a properly constructed scientific Destructor. (We understand one was ord red by Government several years ago.) 5. That all Public Sewers, especially those in steep streets, shall be properly ventilated by having ventilators constructed about one hundred yards apart, according to the Local Government Board's recommendation, so as to relieve the pressure of the Sewer Gas at the unper levels. 6. That all marshy, soft or boggy places near the respective watercourses on the evening to touch on the vitally-important hillsides be drained by surface drainage or

We intend sending a copy of this letter o the several newspapers in the Colony. We have the honour to be. Sir. your most humble and obedient servants, (Signed) E. MACRINTOSH.

E. R. Belilios.

WILLIAM WOTTON. WM. DANBY, M. Inst. of C. E. Jno. D. Humpereys. D. GILLIES. H. N. Mony. A E. VAUCHER. J. Y. V. YEBNON. ALFRED G. WISE. HY. LIGHTWOOD. F. Dodwell. JOHN ANDREW. F.:H.:O. WIISON. GODFREY C. U. MASTER JNO. J. FRANCIS. A. TURNER. GILMAN & Co., Agents for Green-CHAS. C. COREN. JAS. B. COUCHTRIE. A. O'D. GOURDIN. S. E. Shellim. T. H. WRITERBAD.

Rr. Lewes, Dy. Surg. Gen. P. M. O. China and S. S. The type of fever, which I am sorry to say has caused much sickness among my servante and which lately attacked Mrs Lewer, is not of a purely malarial type but a bastard fever due. I think, to some local cause which ought to be investigated. The smells are aboutuable from the Sewers on the higher levels. (Signed) R. L.

F. W. CROSS. O. BACHRACH. P. VAUDAL R. K. Leigh.

W. H. LOBB. The House 'Sunnyside' has had some of its inmates attacked by fever since my entering into residence there in April·last. Not a week has passed without some member of my family or some of my pupils being laid by. A month since my wife and daughter were attacked by what Dr. Cantlie called drain poisoning and ten days since my wife was at the point of death from Bilious Remittent Fever. caused. I have no doubt, from the filthy condition of the Chinese Squatter's Plot monioned in Par. a During the south-west monsoon the windows facing this plot could not be kept open on account of the stench, As no drains from this house are connected with outside

drains the poison cannot come from such a source. (Signed) O. J. BATEMAN. S. Rustomier. R. M. JAMESON. E. DE JEESEY, for Miss Johnstone. A. J. STORER. GEO. R. STEVENE. A. DR V. BROOKE, Major H. E. H. Dove, Capt., R. E. E. BURNIE ALTEED HANCOCK. E. L. REUTER. CHAS D. HARMAN. ALEXANDER LEVY. A. S. GARFIT.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Octonial Secretary.

A COMPLAINT. To the Editor of the OHINA MAIL. Hongkong, Nov. 26. it is becoming saturated with the filth and of the partition wall, whilst the child

but took various forms, to the simple west should be moved into fresh fields and six pounds was found on the other section power should be curtailed .- I am, &c. the authors of the outrage were disturbed in their work. Had the powder been placed GEO. T. HOPKINS.

> [Mr Hopkins speaks plainly, but he does so with authority, because he is directly affected by the nuisances of which he complains. We ourselves noted an objection to the dust-bin nuisance at the time of its construction. Concerning the Robinson been residing up at the house, but always Road vontilator, to which we alluded a with a gentleman to look after them, and it comple of days ago, it appears that Mr wire has generally been accepted as the true version of the affair. He informs us that the nuisance from the sewer ventilator has been effectually stopped by the fixing of the Baldwin's charcoal-filter ventilator. and that all cause of complaint from that source has been removed. In spite of this, however, the nuisance continued. so that two residents of the neigh bourhood-independently of each to the suggested to him the extreme desirability of going one step further and completing the good work, by also trying to get the Police to stop the people of Mosque Junction from habitually using the hillside at the ventilator as a sort of general latrine, and making a nuisance as bad as the other. Steps were thereupon taken to aliate this nuisance, and, to leave the offenders no plea of ignorance, the noticeposts were erected to warn trespassers. Mr Price, therefore, puts it that the erection of the two notice-posts had connection whatsoever with the [From the London in China Express of 21st smell from the ventilator, that nuis ance having been efficaciously remedied previously in a totally different way. The steps taken to prevent the spot to allow the Lloyd Navigation Company is from being turned into a general latrine at present in dispute. On the one hand

were quite spart from the smell from the the Governments seek to reduce the present ventilator, and were taken at the suggestion | payment of fl. 1,300,0.0 to fl. 980,000, while of residents hard by. This is Mr Price's the company asks for an increase to fl. explanation and correction of the remarks 1,480,000. The company agreed to fix a made by us the other day. His statement maximum tariff, and undertook to purchase differs materially from that of every one their material and 30,000 tone of coal in else to whom we have referred on this the monarchy; further, they made the matter: but it is only fair that we should novel proposal to share the net profits with furnish what explanation can be given from the State after the shareholders had receivevery side concerning a nuisance which for a | ed 6 per cent., and finally to open some new very long time has been a serious danger to lines, especially from Fiume to the Egyptian health in the district referred to. - Ep. C. M. | ports

CRICKET. HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB V. GARRISON. This match was continued to-day and ended in a draw, which according to rule was in favour of the Garrison, the Club, however, claiming a moral victory.' Club in their second innings played well for 183, to which T. Sercombe Smith contri. | the 18th, having accomplished the distance buted 33, E. W. Maitland 29, A. J. Leach

and F. Maitland 25 each and H. Dawson 22. The Garrison made 107 in their first innings and 85 for seven wickets in their 22. Dawson 16. and Higginbotham and Savage 17 each. Sercumbe Smith bowled exceedingly well for the Club in the second innings of the Garrison. The following are the scores for two days :--

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THE ATTEMPTED OUTRAGE ON LADIES AT FOOCHOW We made mention in our coloumns last week of the dastardly outrage which was perpetrated at Kuliang on the night of the 11th justing, and we are now indebted to a gentleman who recently visited the house. for the further information which we place before our readers. The house, which by the way is now the Sir, I read with much interest your property of the Chinese Authorities, connoisome effluvia caused by the operations article in your issue of the 24th, and quite sists of eight small rooms having a narrow agree with you that Mr Price ought not | verandah in front, with a partition wall in I the centre, and is very solidly built of stone

that as the watercourses in this neighbour- were coming down this morning at 9.80, the nurse, who was in the back room, was Public Sowers, the fever extended up the and the filth was lying outside polluting of an explosion. As she jumped out of bud, she thought that they were caused by porty is as sound and substantial as any sent to the proposition. If my seconder would be to Mr Woodin and asked if it would meet his puri passe, with the extension of the members of the k lamp exploding, but on going into the Resolution; and if the lot-owners are will- agr eable I would withdraw my original views. Mr Woodin accepted it and read as While not attributing the fever in the Sanitary Board a week ago, pointing out front room she found everything dark and silent, and imagining that she must have among themselves in proportion to the front- fovor is said to have been of a malarial and and he could all the time have put his finger. by which each window was protected, that that had been made to lay the house in some seven or eight pounds and which had be. Put not your trust in pie-crust, for will be possible to determine the posts and pillars examined as to the outbreak of a fever my family was made sick by it. And it will running up to the roof. The powder thus But, whatever may be the position of the plan will show the diminished width of The Chairman said the Government man epidemic at Richmond, and he stated that be there next season if that air shall from being expleded, well night in the open, lost that as soon as the houses were disconnec- been laid out on the air shaft, it would have showed where the fire had hit them, the wouldwork of venetians, wooden posts, rail-

> further inside the verandah up against the venetians, there is no doubt but that the windows would have been blown in and the house set fire to. All during the summer families have as only when there was no man present that the acoundrels mustered up courage to carry out their diabolical scheme.

Who the perpretators were, it is probable will never be known; for, although the Commissioner of Dustoms has taken the matter up and urged on the Min Magistrate the necessity of bringing the culprits to justice, it is suspected that the officials, who have been openly opposed from the outset to foreigners living up there, may have been the instigators of the outrage. However this may be, nothing we learn has vet come of the investigations, and a more cowardly and villainous act than this attack on a house, occapied by defenceless women and children, it has never been our lot to record in these columns

A word of praise is due to the courage of ho ladies who, undismayed at what they had gone through, carried out their original programme and only quitted the house on the date fixed, last Monday.

Shipping items

October.) The amount of the subvention which the Austrian-Hungarian Governments propose

The Liverpood Salvage Association report with reference to the steamer Lann 2, that the after end was safely floated on the 14th inst. and taken to Canada Dock. In consequence of the heavy sea running she struck the pier-head and started the bulkhead which was, however, afterwards secured; will be hauled through to graving dock. The Orient steamer Ormuz left Plymouth on the 15th inst., and passed Gibraltar on

in sixty-four hours ten minutes, the shortest time on record. Hamburg, 18th October .- After another fearful gale, which occasioned many diseaters at sea, the weather appears to have become settled at last, and moderate breezes are second, the principal scores being-Scanlan prevalent. On the 15th inst we had a heavy snowfall, which is quite unusual here at so early a time of the year. The trade on the river has been impeded by the weat ther. Our communication with the Far East has been maintained by the following vessels :- Merionethshire, s.s. Dutton, arrived from China; Denbighishire, B.B. Owens, from Bassein Estrella de Chili Dorward, from Bassein, and Adele C. Ageno, from Rangoon the departures being the Indra, Giesecke, for Kangoon, and

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AN EARLY MEDICAL OPINION ON FEVER IN HONGKONG.

At the present time, when one of the most absorbing topics of the day in Hongkong is the cause of the provailing sickness, it will be interesting to reproduce what we believe to be one of the earliest medical opinions given upon 'Hongkong Fever. Dr Dill, the gentleman who gives the opinion (see Tarrant's History of Hongkong, p. 65), was, we believe, one of the first European practitioners who reside here; and the paper, as printed below, was read in 1845 before the then existing China Medico-Chirurgical Society. It must be noted that the epidemics that have occurred amongst the troops stationed here from 1840, and since, are explained to have arisen probably more from bad housing and the there is room for difference of opinion. absence of medical comforts, etc., than from any other cause; so that the opinion here recorded bears especially upon the of the liver, and others again to the brain, civilian portion of the residents. opinion is now beginning to gain ground here that the so-called fever which, various forms, has during the last two years been damaging the reputation of our Island for salubrity, is nothing more than a filth-fever, or drain-poisoning epidemic. functions of life. Also I believe the bloom becomes deoxidized and overcharged with will be the duty of the Sanitary Board-or, carbonic acid from the impure air in which failing that valuable adjunct to the Public the disease is contracted, hence acting as a Works Department,-the business of Government, to cause an investigation to be made into the origin of this sickness; but there can be no harm in the meantime if we reproduce what Dr Dill wrote in 1845, as

The great mortality, which has taken place in this Island, calls loudly for an investigation into the nature, causes, and treatment of this disease. . The lives of many hundreds of our countrymen are at stake; let us, then, discuss and agitate every point connected with the subject over and over again until we come to some rational conclusion, and some method of obviating and treating a malady which has exhibited here so mortal a character.

follows :--

From my own experience and from what I have heard from other medical gentlemen, I believe the fevers of Hongkong might be reduced to four kinds. With some modifications, I would, therefore, propose calling them, Intermittent, Bilious Remittent, (or marsh fever), Marsh Congestive, and Ardent fever; the two latter Consider to be those which produced such ravages in the Island in the years 1843 and '44 and which received the name of 'Hongkong fever.' It would occupy too much of your time for me to dwell on all these different kinds of fever at length, I shall, therefore, attend more particularly to the two latter forms which deserve our first consideration as being the most fatal. Of the causes of fever generally in hot climates, and more particularly in Hongkong. There have been many theories advanced, respecting the cause of fevers in this island. The three kingdoms of nature, theanimal; vegetable and mineral, have each, in their turn, been represented as the cause of fever. Some say the sele _cause of fover is the gas evolved from the granite in a state of decomposition; others that the water is the poisonous agent, and a third party refer the cause to a certain electric state of the clouds acting on a particular skind of magnetic ore called ferruginous horn blend supposed to exist in the primary strata of the Island. These theories, I think, we must object to, as being altogether hypothetical, and fall back upon the original theory of miasmata for

Having endeavoured to show that malarin is the remote cause of fever in this place, I shall now state what I consider to be the exciting causes. In my opinion the chief exciting causes are, exposure to the rays of the sun, sleeping under the direct rays of the moon, and exposure to the night dewa; the atmosphere is much more charged with missmatic vapour at night than during the day, or rather the poison is more concentrated along the surface of the earth. Badly constructed dwellings placed either in immediate contact with the damp earth, or, which is still worse, elevated a few feet, leaving a space without any ventilation, which becomes the receptacle of foul and confined air, and farther the dwellings being occupied before they are perfeetly dry, must appear one of the most prominent sources of fever. Irregularity and excess in eating and drinking are also taste, is caused by foul matter in the chief exciting causes of the fevers of Hongkong. Europeans, on their arrival in China, are not sufficiently aware of the baneful influence of the strong rays of a vertical aun, hence we find new-comers walking about at noon day without any store the appetite, and with it bring protection more than what they have been accustomed to in Europe, and although some old resident may warn them of the danger, still they cannot be persuaded of it until in a very short time their exhausted | cayed food, causes sickness, nausea and and prostrated state tells them, that they are in a very different climate from that of their native land, and many from this impurity with a dose of such persons principally of the lower class, who are not given to reason much on the subject, or at best falsely take to stimulants | agreeable effects will vanish, and good to give them renewed vigour and strength. It is not to be wondered at, if these persons fall victims to the disease which I have ventured to designate Ardent Fevers.

Among the Soldiers, Sailors, and Police. who are exposed to the influence of the night dowswhile on duty, we find many examples of that form which I have termed 'Marsh Congestive Fever.' I have had, many opportunities of witnessing this form of the disease among merchant seamen and European Police, chiefly the latter ; during the sickly season of last summer almost every case of fever, which occurred among the police, was of this form; they invariably reported themselves sick in the morning on their return from night duty. The symptoms of all these cases were so strikingly similar to each other, and so different from the symptoms of the men who reported themselves ill after day duty, and the former cases presented such a congested appearance, that I was induced to give them the term Marsh Congestive Ferer. I therefore, consider this form of fever to be generally contracted by persons who are much exposed to the influence of night air in the close vicinity of marshes. Sydenham adverts to congestive fever, although he does not enter into a full explanation of it. The great differences between matsh congestive fever and ardent fever are, that the former is induced by paludial effluvia during the night, the latter by exposure to the solar rays, by stimulants, perhaps of a poisonous character. and by overfatigue.

The marsh congestive is ushered in by chilliness, coldness of the extremities, small quick pulse, dull pain in the head and fumbar regions, vomiting and watery diarrhoes, a purple or livid or corrugated state of the skin, constriction of the chest. pain over the precordia, with considerable thirst, and perhaps in a few hours low deligium. The ardent fever, on the con-

trary, commences with severe pain of the head, very hot skin, quick, full, and bounding pulse, xtreme restlessness, flushed face, tongue red and furred in the centre, eyes suffused, urine high colored and scanty. There is also vumiting with bilious diarrhoen, and fin the course of few hours violent delirium. This violent, mad delirium is not, however, so fatul a symptom-th ardent fever, as the low muttering delirium which occurs in the worst cases of congestive fever. The former disease. I am inclined to think, is more Nagasaki. 30.11 confined to the venous, the latter to the Shanghai. arterial system. The one is a congestion Amoy 3 .13 73 67 E 4 of the venous, the other an excitement of Hongkong 30.09 71 35 Ess 2 the arterial circulation; the one bearing Haiphong, 30.14 17 70 many of the symptoms of Cholera, the other of Phrenitis or coup de soleil: the Manila.... 29.80 85 | 66 ENE 2 | c one is of a sthenic, the other of an asthenic character. With regard to the organ_or organs, whose functions are more immediately deranged in these fovers, or as it is generally tormed the proximate cause, Some refer it to a latent inflammation in the mucous membrane of the stomach and small intestines, some to a congested state and no doubt all of these opinions may be in some degree correct. In congestive fever, I believe, the proximate cause is, in a great measure, the want of balance in the circulation; the blood being thrown in on the large vessels, overloading the portal circulation, and oppressing the vital organs, such as the heart, lungs and brain, and preventing them from carrying on the

poison on the nervous system. In the ardent fever, I believe, we are obliged to refer the cause more as I said before to the arterial [hepatic] and cerebral system. We also find vomiting very excessive, which would lead us to look for an inflammatory state of the stomach, but that state, I believe, to be more an effect than a cause, produced by the irritation of a large quantity of acrid bile thrown into that organ from the gall bladder.

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W. Doberck, Government Astronomer. Hongkong Observatory, November 26.

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